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SUBJECT: CHANCELLOR SCHMIDT'S VISIT TO THE U.S.

REF: STATE 149820

1. DR. HISS, ECONOMIC ADVISOR TO CHANCELLOR SCHMIDT, TELLS US THAT VON STADEN'S SUGGESTION REPORTED IN PARA 3 OF REFTEL REGARDING A U.S./GERMAN ECONOMIC BRAIN STORMING SESSION SIMILAR TO THE ONES AT BLAIR HOUSE DURING THE DECEMBER 1974 VISIT OF THE CHANCELLOR HAD NOT BEEN INSPIRED BY ANY SUGGESTIONS OR INSTRUCTIONS FROM BONN. HISS SAID THAT WHILE HE HAD NOT SPECIFICALLY AGAIN CHECKED WITH THE CHANCELLOR ON THIS QUESTION, HE WAS QUITE SURE THAT THE CHANCELLOR DID NOT WISH THIS TYPE OF A SESSION DURING HIS UPCOMING VISIT. THIS DID NOT MEAN, OF COURSE, THAT HISS HIMSELF WOULD NOT LIKE TO HAVE SIDE TALKS WITH VARIOUS U.S. ECONOMIC OFFICIALS AS TIME DURING THE VISIT PERMITTED.

2. NOW THAT FORMER STATE SECRETARY POEHL HAS JOINED THE BUNDESBANK, THE CHANCELLOR HAS DESIGNATED HISS TO TAKE UP POEHL'S FORMER FUNCTION AS THE CHANCELLOR'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN SUMMIT QUESTIONS.
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